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In re Application for:

Shankar S. Narayan, et al.

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## **REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION**

Mail Stop RCE Commissioner for Patents Post Office Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to a Final Office Action mailed November 18, 2003, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration based on the following amendments and response. Only claims 1, 15 and 18 are amended here.